



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re** Application of:

**Donald K. Blumenthal II**

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METHOD FOR ASSAYING  
STRUCTURAL MODIFICATIONS OF  
BIOMOLECULES

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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Examiner:

This Amendment follows the Office Action of December 28, 2006, the shortened statutory period for response to which expires on March 28, 2007.

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